

The power, and Obadiah. goodnesse of God.

|| Or, chapi-
ter, or knop.
|| Or, wound
them.

I Saw the Lord standing
vpon the altar, and he said,
Smite the || lintell of the
doore, that the posts may
shake: and || cut them in
the head all of them, and I will slay the
last of them with the sword: hee that
seeth of them, shall not flee away, and
he that escapeth of them, shall not be de-
liuered.

* Psal. 139.
8. &c.

2 * Though they digge into hell,
thence shall mine hand take them:
though they cline vp to heauen, thence
will I bring them downe.

3 And though they hide themselves
in the top of Carmel, I will search and
take them out thence, and though they
be hid from my sight in the bottome of
the Sea, thence will I commaund the
serpent, and he shall bite them.

* Ier. 44.
11.

4 And though they goe into capti-
uitie before their enemies, thence will I
commaund the sword, and it shall slay
them: and * I will set mine eyes vpon
them for euill, and not for good.

5 And the Lord GOD of hostes is
he that toucheth the land, and it shall
melt, and all that dwelleth therein shall
mourne, and it shall rise vp wholly like
a flood, and shall be drowned as by the
flood of Egypt.

|| Or, spheres
heb. ascensi-
ons.
* Psal. 104.
2.
|| Or, bundell.
* Chap.
5. 8.

6 It is he that buildeth his || * stories
in the heauen, and hath founded his
|| troupe in the earth, he that * calleth for
the waters of the Sea, and powreth
them out vpon the face of the earth: the
LORD is his name.

* Ier. 47.
4

7 Are yee not as children of the E-
thiopians vnto me, O children of Is-
rael, saith the LORD: haue not I
brought vp Israel out of the land of E-
gypt: and the * Philistines from Caph-

tor, and the Syrians from Kir:

8 Behold, the eyes of the Lord
GOD are vpon the sinfull kingdome,
and I will destroy it from off the face
of the earth; sauing that I will not vt-
terly destroy the house of Jacob, saith
the LORD.

9 For loe, I will commaund, and
I will † lift the house of Israel among
all nations, like as corne is lifted in a
sieue, yet shall not the least † graine fall
vpon the earth.

† Heb. canse
to moue.

† Heb. stone.

10 All the signers of my people shall
die by the sword, which say: The euill
shall not ouertake nor preuent vs.

11 **I**n that day will I raise vp the
* tabernacle of David, that is fallen, and
† close vp the breaches thereof, and I
will raise vp his ruines, and I will
build it as in the dayes of old;

* Acts 15.

† Heb. hedge,
or wall.

12 That they may possesse the rem-
nant of Edom, and of all the heathen;
† which are called by my name, saith the
LORD that doth this.

† Heb. vpon
whom my
name is cal-
led.

13 Behold, the daies come, saith the
LORD, that the plowman shall ouer-
take the reaper, & the treader of grapes
him that † soweth seede, and the moun-
taines shall drop || * sweete wine, and all
the hills shall melt.

† Heb. draw-
eth forth.

|| Or, new

wine.

* Ier. 3.

18.

14 And I will bring againe the cap-
tuitie of my people of Israel: and they
shall build the waste cities, and inhabit
them; and they shall plant vineyards,
and drinke the wine thereof: they shall
also make gardens, and eate the fruite
of them.

15 And I will plant them vpon their
land, and they shall no more be pulled
vp out of their land, which I haue
giuen them, saith the LORD thy
God.



OBADIAH.

1 The destruction of Edom, 3 for their pride,
10 and for their wrong vnto Iacob. 17 The
saluation and victory of Iacob.

* Ier. 49.
14.

The vision of Obadiah:
Thus saith the Lord
GOD, concerning E-
dom: * wee haue heard
a rumour from the
LORD, and an am-

bassador is sent among the heathen:
Arise yee, and let vs rise vp against her
in battell.

2 Behold, I haue made thee small
among the heathen: thou art greatly
despised.

3 **T**he pride of thine heart hath
deceiued thee: thou that dwellest in the
clefts of the rocke, whose habitation is
high,

high, that saith in his heart: who shall bring me downe to the ground?

* Ier. 49. 16.

4 * Though thou exalt thy selfe as the eagle, and though thou set thy nest among the starres, thence will I bring thee downe, saith the LORD.

* Ier. 49. 9.

5 If * theeues came to thee, if robbers by night (how art thou cut off?) would they not haue stolen til they had enough? if the grape gatherers came to thee, would they not leaue || some grapes?

|| Or, gleanings.

6 How are the things of Esau searched out? how are his hid things sought vp?

† Heb. the men of thy peace.

† Heb. the men of thy bread.

|| Or, of it.

* Isa. 49. 14.

ier. 49. 7.

7 All the men of thy confederacie haue brought thee euen to the border: † the men that were at peace with thee, haue deceined thee, and preuailed against thee: † they that ate thy bread haue laide a wound vnder thee: there is none vnderstanding || in him.

8 * Shal I not in that day, saith the LORD, euen destroy the wise men out of Edom, and vnderstanding out of the mount of Esau?

9 And thy mightie men, O Teman, shall be dismayed, to the end that euery one of the mount of Esau may be cut off by slaughter.

* Gen. 27.

41. ezek. 35

5. amos 1.

11.

10 C For thy * violence against thy brother Jacob shame shall couer thee, and thou shalt be cut off for ever.

|| Or, caried away his substance.

11 In the day that thou stoodest on the other side, in the day that the strangers || caried away captiue his forces, and forreiners entred into his gates, and cast lots vpon Jerusalem, euen thou wast as one of them.

|| Or, doe not behold, &c.

12 But || thou shouldest not haue looked on the day of thy brother in the day that hee became a stranger, neither shouldest thou haue reioyced ouer the children of Iudah in the day of their destruction: neither shouldest thou haue † spoken proudly in the day of distresse.

† Heb. magnified thy mouth.

13 Thou shouldest not haue entred into the gate of my people in the day of

their calamitie: yea, thou shouldest not haue looked on their affliction in the day of their calamitie, nor haue laid hands on their || substance in the day of their calamitie.

|| Or, forces.

14 Neither shouldest thou haue stood in the crosse way to cut off those of his that did escape, neither shouldest thou haue || deliuered vp those of his that did remaine in the day of distresse.

|| Or, shut vp

15 For the day of the LORD is neere vpon all the heathen: * as thou hast done, it shall bee done vnto thee, thy reward shall returne vpon thine owne head.

* Ezek. 35.

15.

16 For as ye haue drunke vpon my holy mountaine, so shall all the heathen drinke continually: yea, they shall drinke, and they shall || swallow downe, and they shall bee as though they had not bene.

|| Or, sup up.

17 C But vpon mount Zion shall be || deliuerance, and there || shall be holinesse, and the house of Jacob shall possesse their possessions.

|| Or, they that escape.

|| Or, it shall be holy.

18 And the house of Jacob shall bee a fire, and the house of Joseph a flame, and the house of Esau for stubble, and they shall kindle in them and deuoure them, and there shall not be any remaining of the house of Esau, for the LORD hath spoken it.

19 And they of the South shall possesse the mount of Esau, and they of the plaine, the Philistines: and they shall possesse the fields of Ephraim, and the fields of Samaria, and Benjamin shall possesse Gilead.

20 And the captiuitie of this hoste of the children of Israel shall possesse that of the Canaanites euen vnto Zarephath, and the captiuitie of Jerusalem || which is in Sepharad, shall possesse the cities of the South.

|| Or, shall possesse

that which is

in Sepharad.

* 1. Tim. 4.

16. iames 5

20.

* Luke 1. 33

21 And * Saviours shall come vp on mount Zion to iudge the mount of Esau, and the * kingdome shall be the LORDS.